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| 8-6  |           | 5,966,568          | 10/12/99  | NUMAGAMI, ET AL.               | 399   | 119      |                                       |
|  |           | 6,131,007          | 10/10/00  | YAMAGUCHI, ET AL.              | 399   | 111      |                                       |
|  |           | 6,324,370          | 11/27/01  | ISOBE, ET AL.                  | 399   | 258      |                                       |
|  |           | 2002/0141788       | 10/3/02   | MATSUDA, ET AL.                | 399   | 260      |                                       |
|  |           | 5,528,341          | 6/18/96   | SHISHIDO, ET AL.               | 355   | 200      |                                       |
|  |           | 5,283,616          | 2/1/94  | NUMAGAMI, ET AL.               | 355   | 245      |                                       |
|  |           | 5,585,895          | 12/17/96  | YASHIRO                        | 355   | 215      |                                       |
|  |           | 5,500,714          | 3/19/96   | YASHIRO                        | 355   | 200      |                                       |
|  |           | 5,966,566          | 10/12/99  | ODAGAWA, ET AL.                | 399   | 109      |                                       |
|  |           | 5,642,187          | 6/24/97   | NOMURA, ET AL.                 | 399   | 111      |                                       |
|  |           | 5,650,841          | 7/22/97   | MATSUDA, ET AL.                | 399   | 111      |                                       |
|  |           | 5,920,753          | 7/6/99  | SASAKI, ET AL.                 | 399   | 111      |                                       |
|  |           | 5,790,923          | 8/4/98  | OGUMGA, ET AL.                 | 399   | 106      |                                       |
|  |           | 6,272,299          | 8/7/01  | NUMAGAMI, ET AL.               | 399   | 111      |                                       |
|  |           | 6,016,413          | 1/18/00   | YOKOYAMA, ET AL.               | 399   | 113      |                                       |
|  |           | 6,246,848          | 6/12/01   | MORINAGA, ET AL.               | 399   | 106      |                                       |
|  |           | 6,101,352          | 8/8/00  | HASHIMOTO, ET AL.              | 399   | 119      |                                       |
|  |           | 6,266,500          | 7/24/01   | NUMAGAMI, ET AL.               | 399   | 104      |                                       |
|  |           | 6,151,459          | 11/21/00  | HASHIMOTO, ET AL.              | 399   | 27       |                                       |
|  |           | 6,442,359          | 8/27/02   | NUMAGAMI, ET AL.               | 399   | 111      |                                       |
|  | 6,608,980 | 8/19/03            | MURAYAMA, ET AL.  | 399                            | 111   |          |                                       |
| 8-6  |           | 6,463,233          | 10/8/02   | KOJIMA, ET AL.                 | 399   | 111      |                                       |
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| <i>[Handwritten Initials]</i>  |  | US 6,397,025 B1    | 5/28/2002  | Higeta, et al.                               | 399                  | 109                                  |                                       |
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